

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-20 (Canceled)

Claim 21. (New) A customizable interface comprising:

 a user interface including a plurality of actuatable input elements, each input element adapted for association with at least one of a plurality of functions associated with a document processing operation;

 means adapted for receiving selection data representative of a selected subset of the plurality of functions associated with the document processing operation;

 means adapted for associating the selected subset of the plurality of functions with a specified input element such that the selected subset is invoked upon user selection of the specified input element; and

 means adapted for generating an indicator representative of the selected subset of being associated with the specified input element.

Claim 22. (New) The customizable interface of claim 21, wherein the selection data is defined by at least one of a frequently invoked document processing operation request and a most recently invoked document processing operation request.

Claim 23. (New) The customizable interface of claim 22, wherein the indicator is comprised of an indicia including at least one of a unique name, symbol and color associated with the specified input element.

Claim 24. (New) The customizable interface of claim 23, wherein the specified input element is a virtual key.

Claim 25. (New) The customizable interface of claim 24, wherein the virtual key is located apart from the plurality of actuatable input elements.

Claim 26. (New) The customizable interface of claim 21, wherein the actuatable input elements are alphanumeric input elements.

Claim 27. (New) A computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for customizable interface comprising:

instructions for a user interface including a plurality of actuatable input elements, each input element adapted for association with at least one of a plurality of functions associated with a document processing operation;

instructions for receiving selection data representative of a selected subset of the plurality of functions associated with the document processing operation;

instructions for associating the selected subset of the plurality of functions with a specified input element such that the selected subset is invoked upon user selection of the specified input element; and

instructions for generating an indicator representative of the selected subset of being associated with the specified input element.

Claim 28. (New) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 27, wherein the selection data is defined by at least one of a frequently invoked document processing operation request and a most recently invoked document processing operation request.

Claim 29. (New) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 28, wherein the indicator is comprised of an indicia including at least one of a unique name, symbol and color associated with the specified input element.

Claim 30. (New) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 29, wherein the specified input element is a virtual key.

Claim 31. (New) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 30, wherein the virtual key is located apart from the plurality of actuatable input elements.

Claim 32. (New) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 27, wherein the actuatable input elements are alphanumeric input elements.